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Date: October 31, 2006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
WILLEM HUPKES, et al.)
Serial No. 10/766,072) Group Art Unit: 3744
Filed: January 28, 2004) Examiner: William C. Doerrler
PROCESS OF LIQUEFYING A GASEOUS, METHANE-RICH FEED TO OBTAIN LIQUEFIED NATURAL GAS))) _)

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

ADDITIONAL FEE FOR EXTRA CLAIMS ADDED BY AMENDMENT

Applicants have filed herewith an Amendment and Response under 37 CFR 1.111 in the above-referenced application. The following table discloses the calculation of the additional fee for the extra claims.

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The additional fee is calculated below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
(1) For	(2) Claims	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		
roi	Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Additional Fee (7)	
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(i))	68	Minus	66	= 2	x \$ 50.00	= \$100.00	
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(h))	1	Minus	3	= 0	x \$ 0	= \$0	
Multiple Dependent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(j))					+ \$360.00		
Total Additional Fee for Amendment\$100.00							

Please charge the \$100.00 fee and any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Shell Oil Company, Deposit Account No. 19-1800. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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